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In re Application of  
Inventor(s):  
Gregory E. Missell, et al.

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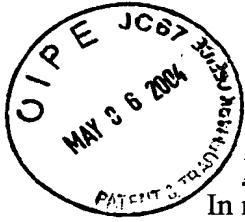
**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT**

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment with a  
mailing date of April 21, 2004, Applicants herewith submit the corrected  
amendment which complies with 37 CFR 1.121.

Respectfully submitted,

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 12, 2004,  
kindly amend the above-identified application, without prejudice, as set forth  
below:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins  
on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.